

Analyzing Kuwaiti Investment in the United States



Project Title	Analyzing Kuwaiti Investment in the United States
Project Summary	This project would provide a unique opportunity to dive into economic research and analysis by studying the behavior and challenges of some of the world's most savvy investors.
Country	Kuwait
Country/Region of Focus	United States

Project Description

Kuwait's official investments in the United States are estimated at more than \$300 billion. The intern will be responsible for researching Kuwaiti investments in the United States from all sources. This includes private investors, family offices, the state pension fund, government stakeholders, businesses, and the Kuwait Investment Authority (KIA), the oldest – and fourth largest – sovereign wealth fund in the world. Interns would be responsible for compiling information on investments across various asset classes, including real estate, stocks, bonds, hedge funds, venture capital, and startup enterprises, as well as foreign direct investment by Kuwaiti companies. Interns may also research Kuwaiti concerns with the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) and the Justice Against Sponsors of Terrorism Act (JASTA.)

Required Skills or Interests

Skill(s)
Data analysis
Economic analysis
Research

Additional Information

An interest in economics, econometrics, statistics, and data analysis would be very helpful. Arabic language skills can be helpful. The ability to determine the veracity of information and the trustworthiness of sources is

critical. Familiarity with Microsoft Excel is important.

Participants in this program will contribute directly to economic policy and reporting at Embassy Kuwait. We expect the information collected and reports written will be widely distributed across the U.S. government. This project would also provide a unique opportunity to dive into economic research and analysis by studying the behavior and challenges of some of the world’s most savvy investors.

Language Requirements

Language	Speaking Proficiency	Reading Proficiency	Importance
Arabic	Full professional proficiency	Full professional proficiency	Nice to Have